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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: OVIP (RUSH)

SUBJECT: DEP SEC VISIT TO EUROPE -- PROPOSED PROGRAM FOR US-
EC CONSULTATIONS

1. ON MAY 17 FIELDING, COMMISSION DIRECTOR FOR NORTH AMERICA,
GAVE MISSION OFFICERS FOR CONSIDERATION
THE PROGRAM AGENDA THAT HAS BEEN DEVELOPED BY THE
COMMISSION'S DIRECTORATE GENERAL FOR EXTERNAL QUES-
TIONS FOR THE US-EC CONSULTATIONS JUNE 6-7. THIS PROPOSED
PROGRAM, GIVEN BELOW IN PARA 2, HAS BEEN APPROVED BY
EC COMMISSION VICE PRESIDENT SOAMES, AND IS NOW BEING
CIRCULATED IN OTHER PARTS OF THE COMMISSION. WHILE
NO MAJOR CHANGES ARE ANTICIPATED, THE COMMISSION
RESERVES THE RIGHT TO AMEND THIS PROGRAM. IT SHOULD
BE NOTED THAT IT PERTAINS ONLY TO CONTACTS BETWEEN THE
DEPUTY SECRETARY AND THE REST OF THE US DELEGATION
AND THE EC COMMISSION. (USEC IS CURRENTLY ARRANGING
ALSO FOR A MEETING WITH THE EC PERMANENT REPRESENT-
ATIVES, WHICH, AS STATED IN REFTEL, WILL PROBABLY
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TAKE THE FORM OF A LUNCHEON ON JUNE 7.)

2. BEGIN TEXT. REVISED DRAFT AGENDA US/COMMISSION
CONSULTATIONS 6-7 JUNE 1974.

THURSDAY, 6 JUNE

10:30 A.M., MR. RUSH PAYS PRIVATE CALL ON SIR C.
SOAMES.

11 A.M. - 12:45 P.M., PLENARY SESSION PRESIDED OVER
BY SIR C. SOAMES AND MR. RUSH WITH THE PARTICIPATION
OF MSSRS. SIMONET, LARDINOIS AND CHEYSSON

--US/EEC RELATIONS IN GENERAL

-- A GENERAL DISCUSSION OF CURRENT ISSUES (DETAILS
TO BE PURSUED SUBSEQUENTLY AT OFFICIAL LEVEL IN TWO
SEPARATE COMMITTEES AS BELOW)

1 P.M. FOR 1:15. P.M., LUNCH GIVEN BY SIR C. SOAMES
(IN THE COMMISSION)

3:30 P.M., MR. RUSH CALLS ON PRESIDENT ORTOLI
DETAILED DISCUSSIONS AT OFFICIAL LEVEL IN TWO
COMMITTEES SIMULTANEOUSLY AS FOLLOWS:
COMMITTEE I. (EC DELEGATION PRESIDED OVER BY
MR. WELLENSTEIN)

3 P.M. - - 4:45 P.M., ENERGY

- EC ENERGY POLICY

."NEW STRATEGY" UNDER DISCUSSION IN COM-
MUNITIES' INSTITUTIONS

- US DEVELOPMENTS

- PROJECT INDEPENDANCE

- BI-LATERAL AND MULTILATERAL COOPERATION

- RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT

(OUTCOME OF DR. DAHRENDORF'S DISCUSSION
WITH MR. STEVER ON 20/21 MAY)

4:45 P.M. -5P.M., COFFEE BREAK

5 P.M. -6:30 P.M., LDC'S/RAW MATERIALS

-COMMUNITY MEDITERRANEAN POLICY; YAOUNDE NEGOTIA-
TIONS; EEC/ARAB RELATIONS

-US/ARAB RELATIONS

-OUTCOME OF THE UN GENERAL ASSEMBLY (IN PARTI-
CULAR RELATION TO COMMODITIES AND RAW MATERIALS.)

COMMITTEE II. (EC DELEGATION PRESIDED OVER BY
MR. HIJZEN)

TRADE (INCLUDING AGRICULTURE) AND INVESTMENT
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3. P.M. -4:45 P.M., WORLD FOOD CONFERENCE

-INDUSTRIAL POLICH

- FOLLOW UP TO MR. DENT'S VISIT ON APRIL 4, 1974.

-INTERNATIONAL INVESTMENT AND POLICH TOWARDS
MULTINATIONAL CORPORATIONS FOLLOWING THE OECD MINI-
STERIAL MEETING IN JUNE 1974.

4:45 P.M. - 5 P.M., COFFEE BREAK

5 P.M. - 6:30 P.M., MTN

-PROGRESS OF US TRADE REFORM ACT
-RULES OF ORIGIN: GATT DISCUSSIONS
- EXPORT RESTRAINTS AND PROBLEMS OF COMMODITIES
IN SHORT SUPPLY (INCLUDING FERROUS SCRAP)
8 P.M. (?), DINNER GIVEN BY AMBASSADOR GREENWALD

NOTE BY OC/T: DISSEMINATION COORDINATED WITH S/S-O, MR. TWOHIE.

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FRIDAY, 7 JUNE
8:45A.M. -9:45A.M., POSSIBLY RESUMPTION OF DETAILED
DISCUSSIONS AT OFFICIAL LEVEL IN COMMITTEES.
10 A.M.-NOON, FINAL PLENARY SESSION (TO INCLUDE
POSSIBLE MENTION OF CURRENT STATE OF PLAY IN SEPARATE
ENVIRONMENT AND EXPORT CREDIT DISCUSSIONS)
12:20 P.M., JOINT PRESS CONFERENCE BY SIR C. SOAMES
AND MR. RUSH. END TEXT.

3. IN ORDER TO PIN THE PROGRAM/AGENDA DOWN SOONEST,
WE WOULD LIKE WASHINGTON VIEWS BY OPENING OF BUSINESS
MAY 22. (MAY 23 AND 24 ARE COMMISSION HOLIDAYS.)

4. COMMENT: MISSION BELIEVES THE COMMISSION'S PROPOSED

PROGRAM/AGENDA IS BROAD ENOUGH TO COVER MOST POINTS OF INTEREST TO THE U.S. SIDE. IN OUR VIEW, THEREFORE, THERE IS NO NEED TO AMEND IT. HOWEVER, THERE MAY BE SOME ADVANTAGE IN GIVING A MORE COMPREHENSIVE TREATMENT TO CERTAIN SUBJECTS IN BOTH THE PLENARY AND COMMITTEE DISCUSSIONS. FOR EXAMPLE, WE MAY WISH AT SOME POINT

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TO DEAL WITH AGRICULTURE ON A BRODER, MORE COMPREHENSIVE BASIS, EMPHASIZING THE INTERRELATIONSHIP OF ISSUES SUCH AS FOOD AID, WORLD FOOD CONFERENCE, STOCKPILING, MTN, FERTILIZER, ACCESS TO MARKETS AND SUPPLIES, ETC. SIMILARLY, OUR PRESENTATION ON THE COMPLEX OF RELATIONS WITH THE LDCS MIGHT INCLUDE NOT NOLY ON-GOING NEGOTIATIONS, OIL, AND COMMODITIES BUT ALSO THE POLSSIBILITY OF CLOSER US-EC COORDINATION IN TRADE AND AID POLICIES VIS-A-VIS LDCS (E.G. COMMISSION 3 BILLION DOLLAR PROGRAM AND US 4. BILLION DOLLAR PROPOSAL FOR MSAS) AND JOINT CONSIDERATION OF THE PROBLEM POSED BY ATTITUDES OF THE LDCS IN THE UN AND OTHER INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS (STATE 99106).

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